12. West Bengal	:	Burdwan, Dakshin Dinajpur, Midnapore, North 24-Parganas, South 24-Parganas, Uttar Dinajpur, Murshidabad, Calcutta. **(8)**
13. Punjab	:	Jalandhar, Ludhiana, Amritsar **(3)**

Social Security Scheme

537. SHRIMATI S.G. INDIRA:
SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA:

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government proposed to bring a comprehensive Bill in order to provide Social Security Scheme Cover to agricultural and unorganised workers;

(b) if so, whether Government have taken care of the specific recommendations of the Second Labour Commission before drafting the Bill in this connection; and

(c) whether the Social Security Scheme Cover also include Employment Guarantee Scheme and Unemployment Allowance in the proposed Bill?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI SANTOSH GANGWAR): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The details of the Draft Bill are still at the stage of finalization.

Amendment in Payment of Bonus Act

538. SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to amend the Payment of Bonus Act in order to waive limit of wages and quantum of bonus so that all the workers could get a share of profit in industries;

(b) if so, by when such a legislation is likely to be brought before Parliament; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefore?